



IN THE UNITED STATES
PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant: Alberto DiBella

Serial No. : 10/719,825

Filed: November 21, 2003

For: VORAXIAL FILTRATION SYSTEM WITH SELF-CLEANING
AUXILIARY FILTRATION APPARATUS

Examiner: Joseph W. Drodge

Art Unit: 1723

PETITION TO REVIVE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.137(b)

Commissioner of Patents
and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.137(b), Applicant, by and through his undersigned counsel, hereby petitions to the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to revive the above-identified patent application. In support of this Petition, Applicant states:

1. That the subject application became abandoned for failure to timely respond to the Office Action dated February 7, 2006, the responsive Amendment having been due on May 7, 2006.

2. That the entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the reply until the filing of a grantable petition pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.137(b) was unintentional.

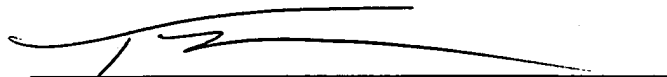
3. This Petition is accompanied by a petition fee pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17(m), which for a small entity is \$750.00.

Applicant has previously qualified for small entity status. Accordingly, and the undersigned hereby authorizes charging the Petition fee in the amount of \$770.00 to Deposit Account No. 15-0550.

4. An Amendment in response to the February 7, 2006 Office Action is enclosed with this Petition.

5. WHEREFORE, Applicant respectfully requests that the Commissioner of Patents grant this Petition and revive the unintentionally abandoned application.

Respectfully submitted,



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